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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Pursuant to the Examiner's request, attached is the Abstract of the application on a separate page. This Abstract is the same Abstract originally filed in this matter and does not add any new matter.

If any issues remain that may be expeditiously addressed in a telephone interview, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone applicants' attorney at 206.695.1755.

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